GOVERNMENT BILL

The Citizenship (Amendment) Bill, 2005

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): Sir, I move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Citizenship Act, 1955.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL: Sir, I introduce the Bill.

MATTER RAISED WITH PERMISSION

Outbreak of Malaria, Dengue and Japanese Encephalitis in Vishakhapatnam

डा. अलादी पी. राजकुमार (आंध्र प्रदेश) : उपसभापति जी, आप 5 मिनट का समय दीजिए, हमारे नेता बोलना चाहते हैं, आपकी बड़ी मेहरबानी होगी। उस एरिया में एक-दो नहीं, हजारों लोग गुज़र गए, हमारे नेता उनके बारे में बोलना चाहते हैं।

श्री उपसभापति : जल्दी बोलिए क्योंकि सबको भूख लगी है।

डा. अलादी पी. राजकुमार : सर, 5 मिनट में कोई फर्क नहीं पड़ेगा, कोई पहाड़ नहीं टूट पड़ेगा।

श्री उपसभापति : जल्दी बोलिए।

डा. अलादी पी. राजकुमार : पार्लियामेंटरी अफेयर्स मिनिस्टर साहब, आप जरा ध्यान दीजिए, बड़ी मेहरबानी होगी। आप 2 मिनट ध्यान दीजिए।

SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY (Andhra Pradesh): Sir, there is a grave situation in the Vishakhapatnam district of Andhra Pradesh. There is an unprecedented outbreak of malaria, dengue and Japanese encephalitis there, and the attitude of the State Government in tackling the serious issue is most deplorable. More than 1000 tribals have died. I have furnished all the details to the hon. Chairman yesterday along with a C.D. wherein the plight of tribals in the Vishakhapatnam district is clearly shown. It is reported that eleven Mandals are badly affected.

Sir, more than 1,000 tribals have died out of these diseases, and most of them are children. This is an Agency area, and the State Government has not taken any steps in mitigating the problems of the tribals. There is a lack of medical facilities. Doctors are not there. Paramedical staff is not there. Technicians are not there. The Government is not only sleeping, but